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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: : **PATENT APPLICATION**
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Moore, et al. : **PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION**
: **OF ANHYDROSUGAR ALCOHOLS**
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Serial No.: 09/955,672 : **Group Art Unit: 1625**
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Filed: September 19, 2001 : **Examiner: Oh, Taylor V.**
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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219
July 20, 2004

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
NON-FINAL OFFICIAL ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the Non-Final Official Action mailed April 20, 2004, in connection with the above-captioned Application, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire July 20, 2004. The Examiner's rejections have been carefully considered, and in view of the following remarks and amendments, reconsideration and early allowance of all pending claims is courteously requested.

Please amend this Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this Response.

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